

**Request for Participation in the Patent  
Prosecution Highway Pilot Program  
U.S. Patent Application No. 10/529,477  
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# **APPENDIX I**

## **Preliminary Amendment**

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FOR: METHOD OF MICROWAVE  
COOKING OF RAW MEAT AND RAW  
MARINE PRODUCT, SEASONING FOR  
MICROWAVE COOKING AND FOOD  
FOR MICROWAVE COOKING

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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SIR:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.